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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

We need competitive local carriers like Sonic to be able to provide DSL and fiber. AT&T's customer service was terrible, and their prices high. We were able to switch to Sonic because of unbundled copper and inter-city fiber transport elements that were available to Sonic. We started out using competitive DSL, and have now switched to fiber optic cable, all because of Sonic. To say there is no competition in the marketplace is a bold faced lie. We need competitors like Sonic to keep AT&T and other big carriers honest.

Best,

A Happy Sonic Customer

Sarah Oneto